saloon on last Friday, and offered to have a friend, who accompanied him, examine and receive his license for a consideration. Zeier refused the offer, and a quarrel ensued, during which it came out that Gorman himself, and not his friend, was the inspector. A policeman was called in to end the disturbance, and took both to the police station in Eldridge-st., where Zeier was locked up on Mr. Gorman's complaint that he assaulted him while he was in the pursuit of his duty. Zeier now brings this complaint, which Gorman claims is prompted by a hope of revenge.

REFUNDING THE GOVERNMENT DEBT.

NEGOTIATING 312 PER CENT BONDS AT PAR. The refunding of that part of the National debt

which will fall due within the next two yearsnearly \$800,000,000-is a subject upon which there

are opposite opinions. Secretary Sherman is known to favor the further issue of 4 per cent bonds. The bill introduced in Congress by General Garfield, which is known

to represent the views of the Treasury Department, authorizes the issue of 4 per cent bonds in ex-

change for outstanding bonds bearing a higher rate

of interest. But the chairman of the Committee on

Ways and Means, Fernando Wood, is confident that

the debt can be refunded at a lower rate of interest,

and is now preparing a bill limiting the rate to 3½ per cent. Mr. Wood was chairman of the same committee when the

STEAM PIPES IN THE STREETS.

THE SPINOLA COMPANY GIVEN PERMISSION TO BE-

propriated \$233,483 to redeem bonds falling due

This was carried, Mr. Kelly, Chamberlain T. pan

EMBARRASSED BY A BRIDGE CONTRACT. J. LLOYD HAIGH, A WIRE MANUFACTURER, MAKES

AN ASSIGNMENT-LIABILITIES \$300,000-LARGE

Much surprise was caused in the iron and steel

trade yesterday by the announcement of the failure of J. Lloyd Haigh, manufacturer of wire, at No. 81

John-st. Mr. Haigh was the successful bidder for

the contract for supplying wire for the Brooklyn

Bridge, his bill being \$591,600; he also furnished

the wire for the Erie Canal Towing Company and

for the Atlantic cables. He had a large property,

excellent credit and reputation, and has generally been considered wealthy. His main factory was in

Brooklyn, but last Summer he put up a small factory

AN EXCISE INSPECTOR ACCUSED.

Charges of blackmail were preferred before the Board of Excise yesterday against John Gorman, an inspector, who heretofore has borne a good reputation, by Max Zeier, a saloon-keeper at No. 95 Hesters. Mr. Zeier charges that Gorman entered his

VIEWS OF BANKERS AS TO THE POSSIBILITY OF

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

ARRESTED FOR BROKEN PLEDGES. REASONS WHY GENERAL GEORGE GARRISON IS NOW IN LUDLOW STREET JAIL-HIS ACCOUNT OF THE An order of arrest was issued some time ago by Judge Donohue against General George Garrison, of Newburg, N. Y., a gentleman of reputed promi-nence and wealth, upon the affidavit of George B.

Bayard, an importer of liquors at No. 60 New-st... who alleges that General Garrison obtained \$10,000

from him about two years ago by trick and device.

A deputy-sheriff arrested General Garrison yester-

John Henry Hall, attorney for Mr. Bayard, said to a TRIBUNE reporter yesterday: "My client, Mr. Bayard, had been associated with General Garrison

in the New-York Attrition Company, in the United

States Attrition Company, and in other enterprises

which had not proved remunerative, and about two ars ago he entered into a written agreement with

George Garrison that if the latter would transfer to

him certain shares of stock in tale-mines in

St. Lawrence County, and also certain patent rights

in different attrition companies, he would pay him

failed to transfer the stock. The defendant was

to any trust worthy source. It is probable that Alderman Morris will be elected president, but the Republicans claim that this has nothing to do with the Recordership. Neither the Tammany, Auti-Tammany nor Republican members are in a majority, and as Tammany had the presidency last year and Auti-Tammany this year, the Republicans claim that it rightfully belongs to them next year. As to the Recordership, Mr. Hackett was nominated and elected by the Republicans, the Anti-Tammany factions supporting the Republican nomination, therefore, his successor should be named by the Republicans. It is said they will unite on Assistant District-Attorney Rollins for the place and will adhere to him, refusing to enter into any combination with the Democrats.

The Tammany members may give a complimentary vote to Frederick Smyth, but it is said they acknowledge that the position belongs to the Republicans, and they will vote eventually for Mr. Rollins. Whether this will be done or not could not be definitely ascertained last hight. The Anti-Tammany members were talking yeasterday of voting for Charles H. Knox as their candidate.

The Board will meet to-day, and adjourn until tomorrow without transacting any business, out of respect to Recorder Hackett.

THE ARRAGON NOT OVERDUE. THE SAILS FROM BRISTOL DECEMBER 19, FOR NEW

Arragon of the Great Western Steamship Line, run-

WORK AT ST. JOHNLAND.

day at the Bible House, Fourth-ave. and Eighth-st,

The following officers were elected for the ensurer year: Adam Narrie, president; the Rev. Dr. H.

Dyer, vice-president; Howard Potter, treasurer; Anson W. Hard, secretary. It was stated that the

receipts for the year had been about \$20,000, and the same amount expended. One new cottage is now being built, and funds have already been pro-

vided for the erection of five others. There have

been 250 beneficiaries during the year, of which

been 250 beneficiaries during the year, of which twenty are immates of the Old Meu's Home. There is now a flourishing settlement at the society's property on Long Island.

It was stated at the meeting that through the liberality of Cornelius Vanderbilt, a member of the Board, but who is now in Europe, a provision has been made for the erection of a substantial building upon the society's grounds, to accommodate twenty orphan girls. Mr. Vanderbilt has also established a permanent fund for the support of the immates of

NOT CONNECTED WITH THE STANDARD. W. J. Henderson, the business manager of the Standard Theatre, said yesterday that the "New-York Standard English Opera Company," which is now in financial difficulties in Montreal, has never

had any connection with the Standard Theatre in

had any connection with the Standard Theatre in New-York. The travelling company of the Stan-dard Theatre had finished its work in New-Jersey two weeks ago after a highly successful season con-tinuing since last February. The company in Montreal was under the management of J. R. Hoyt, who led the orchestra at the Olympic Theatre when "Fatinitza" was played there. After "Fatinitza" was presented at the Standard, Mr. Hoyt took a few of the performers and started to Montreal. He was not authorized to assume the name of the Standard.

LOSS OF A GERMAN SHIP.

Theodore Ruger, ship-broker at No. 5 William-st.,

received a dispatch from Liverpool yesterday, stat-

ing that the German ship Leda, which sailed from

ing that the German ship Leda, which sailed from bere on December 8, had gone ashere on Goodwin Sands, in the Straits of Dover, and, with cargo, would become a total loss. The crew was landed at Deal. The cargo consisted of 8.363 barrels of re-fined petrolenm, shipped by Mayer Brothers, was valued at about \$36,000, and fully insured. The ship was built at Richmond, Me., in 1868, was of 1,306 tons capacity, and was valued at about \$40,000. It was also fully insured.

STEALING TO GET BREAD.

58 Watt-st., a well-dressed, respectable-looking

to Watt-st., a well-dressed, respectable-looking young man, who appeared to be a novice in crime, was brought up on remand before Just-ce Morgan yesterday at the Tombs Police Court, for the larceny of a value containing wearing apparel, etc., belonging to Lincoln MeVeigh, on board a Desbrosses Street and Hoboken ferry beat on December 23. The accused man, with tears in his eyes, pleaded that he was without food for two days. He was held for trial in default of \$300 bail.

Charles M. Sheridan, age nineteen years, of No.

ent fund for the support of the lumates of

The first meeting of the new board of directors of the St. Johnland Society was held at 4 p.m. yester-

YORK-NOT EXPECTED TO ARRIVE BEFORE THURS-The Associated Press dispatch from London, as

published yesterday, stating that the steamship table the Spinola steam-heating scheme,

ning between this city and Bristol, England, had foundered in the Atlantic, was discredited by the Committee of the Aldermen, voting for it, and or

agent, Mr. Morgan, in this city yesterday. He had | Cooper against it. Mr. Kelly then moved that the received a dispatch from the owners yesterday after- | contract be adopted and given to the Control of to

increased business, but he was unable to fill the contracts as fast as anticipated. Some creditors recently pressed him for their claims, and on Saturday he consulted with several of the largest creditors, and they advised him to make an assignment, which he did yesterday against his own wishes. Wm. R. Foster being the assignee.

No preferences are given, as Mr. Haigh expects to pay all the creditors in full, and for that purpose it was thought best by them that the assignment should be made now. The total liabilities, including real estate mortgages, are estimated at \$300,000, while the nominal assets are \$450,000. His assets consist of real estate and factories in Brocklyn and Morrisania, machinery, steel and wire on hand, and open accounts. The Brocklyn factory and plant is valued at \$100,000, mortgaged for \$15,000; the Morrisania property was estimated at \$200,000, mortgaged for \$90,000. Business will contume without interruption, as the creditors are favorable to a settlement and expect Mr. Haigh to extricate his affairs if allowed time. Much sympathy is expressed in the trade.

The schedule, which was filed yesterday in the assignment of Bernard Travis, John Travis and Jesse Travis to Henry K. Motley, estimated the liabilities at \$60,461 06; nominal assets, \$73,270 67; real assets, \$48,427 38. The schedule of Edgar P. Hill, Joseph H. Cunningham and Charles Hardenburgh, in their assignment to Harvey T. Cleveland places the liabilities at \$60,667 10; nominal assets, \$76,443 98; real, \$1.746 67.

AID FOR THE HOSPITALS.

ALL CONTRIBUTIONS NOT YET IN THE HANDS OF THE COMMITTEE. The result of the contributions on " Hospital Satarday and Sunday " could not be fully ascertained yesterday because of the large number of small amounts, and the length of time required to collect and count the contributions from all parts of the city. Charles Lanier, treasurer of the hospital fund committee, stated to a TRIBUNE reporter that

the following was a list reported up to last even ing:
N. Y Stock Ex. ..\$1,192 00 | M. Morgan's Sons
W. H. Vanderbilt. 1,000 00 | Nat'l Express Co. | 50 00 |
Drexel, Morgan & | 1,000 00 | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. T. | Raynolds & Co. | Employés of C. | To Co. | H. Stations. 254 82 V. Levens. 100 00 Boxes at ferries. 81 60 K. L. Stuart. 500 00 Many of r sources 3,292 47 dadison Square Pres. Church. 445 83 Total. \$6,004 31

In addition to the above Samuel D. Babcock, as treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce, reports the following receipts for the fund: Mrs. A. T. Stewart .. \$1,000 H. B. Claffin & Co.. \$100 Judge Hitton ... 1,000 Other sources 880 W. E. Dodge 50

50 Total......\$3,000 An additional subscription, besides those already announced in The TRIBUNE, was made by . Pro-

dnee Exchange yesterday of \$63. The contributions from the Post Office boxes, as far as beard from, amount to \$74.63. In one box there was a note signed "Bessie, Arthur, Hugh and

Way and Means, Fernando Wood, as condent that she different attrition companies, he would pay him \$6,000. The payment was made, but Garrison that unless held to do so, always making some caree of him that the stock I should have to arrest him. Then lobtained from Judge Doubles and the contract is a state of 32 per cent. Mr. Wood was chairman of the same committee when the failed to do so, always making some caree of the stock I should have to arrest him. Then lobtained from Judge Doubles and the stock I should have to arrest him. Then lobtained from Judge Doubles and the stock I should have to arrest him. Then lobtained from Judge Doubles and the discussion a compromise in the shape of three discussion as well as the discussion of the cent of the city and could not be for the shape of three discussion and the discussion and the state of the warrant was seen as the property of the country is the country of the country of the country is a seen as the state of the country of the officers of the country of the officers of the country of the country is a seen as the state of the country of the country is a seen as the state of the country of the country is a seen as the state of the country of the officers of the country of the officers of the country of the officers of the country of the country is a seen as the state of the country of the country is a seen as the state of the state heard from, amount to \$74.63. In one box there was a note signed "Bessie, Arthur. Hugh and Grace," containing 43 cents and designated for "children in the hospital."

In the churches Sanday there was contributed esocially for \$8. Luke's Hospital the sum of \$830.08, of which \$761.14 was given by the Church of the Incarnation. In relation to the distribution of the funds in the hands of the General Committee, the Rev. George 8. Baker, the secretary, said that the committee would take into account the charitable work done by each hospital during the year, the resources of each for doing such work, and the amount received as designated contributions in the various collections. "In regard to the fact that Episcopal churches designate to what hospital they wish their contributions to be sent." he added, "it should be understood by the public that \$t. Luke's Hospital has always depended upon the regular "Hospital Sunday" collections for its expenses. Of course, each church has a right to designate where its funds shall be sent. The persons composing the distributing committee are as follows: The Mayor, the Postmaster of New-York, the President of the Chamber of Coumerce, John W. Hopper, George H. Andrews, William E. Dodge, jr., and Jesse Seligman.

Mr. Lanier said especial thanks were due to the American Express Company for collecting the public boxes and delivering their contents to him.

A COLLEGE FRATERNITY CONVENTION.

A COLLEGE FRATERNITY CONVENTION. The convention of the Delta Phi Fraternity was called to order yesterday at 2 p. m. by Professor Mason, of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, in the absence of General George H. Sharpe, in the hall of the Delta Chapter, 925 Broadway. The folhall of the Delta Chapter, 925 Broadway. The following delegates were present: F. S. Crane, G. E. Dixon and G. G. Peoli, of the Alpha Chapter, Union College: Professor Stevenson J. C. Wetmore, jr., and C. Noble, of the Gamma Chapter, New-York; J. Cropper, James D. Livingston and G. F. Garr, of the Delta Chapter, Columbia College; S. V. Ten Eyek, H. D. B. Mulford and C. S. Aiken, Ensilon Chapter, Rutger's College; W. P. Mason, F. S. Young and T. D. Whistler, Lambda Chapter, Renselaer Polytechnic, Troy. Committees were appointed who reported at the evening session.

The fraternity was established in 1827 at Union College. The convention dinner is to be held this evening at Delmonico's, at 7 o'clock.

REPORTS CONCERNING PERU DENIED. The Chilian Consul in this city, when inquiry was made yesterday as to the truth of the cable dis

received a dispatch from the owners yesterday afternoon and neution was made of the loss of the Arragon no of such a runor. If the steamer were supposed to be lost, Mr. Morgan says he would certainly have received some information. The dispatch also stated that the vessel was from this port bound to Bristol, which proves to be an error. The Arragon saled from here on November 25, and arrived at Bristol on December 12. She sailed again, on December 19 for New-York, and the usual length of the voyage being thirteen days, she would not be due here until Thursday; and owing to the prevailing adverse weather she is not expected before Sunday. The Arragon probably has on board a few steerage passengers, and her cargo will consist chiefly of the and rags. made yesterday as to the truth of the cable dispatch concerning the reported flight of the President of Peru, said that he believed it had no foundation as he had just received dispatches from Panama which made no mention of such an occur rence. The Peruvian Consul had received no confirmation of the report, nor had either of them heard anything that indicated a probability of the overthrow of the Peruvian Government.

The Chargé d'Affaires of Peru denies the report and says that telegraphic advices to December 20 have been received here from Callao, at which date perfect order prevailed in Lima, and there had been no change in the Government. pipes, and if this is done to the satisfaction of the saiking Fund Commissioners the company care are all the streets.

This scheme was first passed by the remen, but was vetoed by Mayor Ety, the Aldermen then authorized the contrary to lay its pipes subject to conditions imposed by the Sinking Fund Commissioners. On December 28, 1878, the Sinking Fund Commissioners authorized the use of the streets below Chambers. The company did no work under this grant, but last June the company asked for theuse of all thes treets. After protracted discussion the Sinking Fund Commission adopted the following conditions:

First—Requiring the company, before disturbing the pavements, to obtain a permit from the Commissioner of Public Works, and to deposit with the Controller a bond for \$50,000 as a guaranty that the pavements will be restored to their original condition. The pipe shall be keid under the direction of the Commission is of Public Works and shall be altered when required by the city for the purpose of doing any public work.

Second—The company shall supply all the steam

THE STATEN ISLAND BRIBERY CHARGES. INDICATIONS THAT THE KASSNER INVESTIGATION IS MERELY A DEMOCRATIC SCHEME FOR RELENGE.

The investigation begun at Stapleton, Staten Island, several weeks ago, of certain charges of bribery by the city at 25 per cent less than 0 in the steam required by the city at 25 per cent less than 0 in the same year shall be paid to the city.

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INSPECTOR MURRAY'S CAPTURE.

TAKING A THIEF WITH THE PROCEEDS OF A ROBBERY. In Henry-st., Sunday evening, William Woodhull, allas Maxwell, a well-known thief, was seen to enter No. 52 carrying a bundle. Inspector Murray watched the house yesterday and saw several persons pass in and out carrying bundles. It arding-house and Woodhull had hired a room Saturday morning and moved in two large trunks. The Saturday morning and moved in two large trunks. The officer, waited until Woodhuli and three other men were in the room together and then they demanded admittance. When Inspector Murray entered Woodhuli drew a revolver, but was everpowered and handcuffed. With him was Charles A. Antwin, of No. 37 Stanton-st., William Fields, of No. 78 East Houston-st., and a man who gave his name as John Burns, but refused to give his fettdence.

The room was littered with articles amounting to

The room was littered with articles amounting in value to over \$1,000. Among these articles were a silk opera cloak, handsome shawis, silk dresses, etc. The articles were believed to be tho proceeds of a robbery. Woodhull said he had purchased the roods of an unknown man in Philadelphia. The prisoners were taken to Police Headquarters and focked up for the night. Burns was believed to be an accomplice of Woodhull. Author and Fields said that they had even invites to the place to look at some articles which they had been informed could be bought cheap. The Inspector believed that they were telling the truth.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

J. B. Van Every. Auditor of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was elected Vice-President by the directors yesterday.

Peter Cooper's glue factory has no connection with any business carried on at No. 90 Bowery, as erroneously stated in a report of a fire at that place last week.

There was no examination in the Scannell case yesterday at the Yorkville Police Court. The prisoner was committed to await the result of his victim's injuries.

victim's injuries.

Pinchatti, the first mate of the bark Francisco Donavaro, who was stabbed by the mutineers, was examined yesterday by the Italian Consul. The examination will take several days.

The payment of January interest on Government bonds was begun yesterday at the Sub-Treasury. At the close of business \$185,000 in cash and \$1,900,000 in checks had been paid out. The total amount to be disbursed here will exceed \$16,000,000.

Five European steamers since Saturday have landed 537 immigrants at Castle Garden—the Queen, from Liverpool, 202; Main, from Bremen, 106; Baltic, from Liverpool, 90; State of Pennsylvania, from Glasgow, 75; and P. Caland, from Rotterdam, 64.

Captain Henzelman, of the steamer Volmer, and the five sailors with whom he has had some trouble about wages, mentioned in yesterday's TEIBUNE, appeared before Danish Consul Braem yesterday afternoon. The differences were amicably settled, and the vessel sailed last night.

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The Executive Committee of the World's Fair Committee resolved, at a meeting last night in the Fif h Avenue Hotel, to call a public meeting in Chickering Hall on January 14 or 15. H. G. Stebbins will preside, and a number of prominent persons will be invited to address the meeting.

There was recorded yesterday a deed transferring a piece of property extending from the north side of Sixty-sixth-st. to the south side of Sixty-seventh-st., west of the track of the New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, from Josiah Lombard and others to William H. Vanderbilt for \$200,500.

C. A. L. Totten, hentanget of the Ath Ariller.

C. A. L. Totten, lieutenant of the 4th Artillery, read a paper yesterday afternoon before the Miltary Service Institution of the United States at Governor's Island, explaining the new American war game "Strategoes," which is similar to the game described in Sunday's TRIBUNE, and called "Kriegesspiel,"

Several of the contestants in the recent walking match met at Madison Square Garden yesterday. The money was not divided, as the amounts due the prize winners have not been determined. The total receipts amount to \$11,784. It is probable that Hart will receive \$2,483, Krohne \$993, Faber \$496, Pegram \$371, Fitzgerald \$248, Hughes \$198, and Williams \$173.

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The New Testament Company of the American Bible Revision Committee held meetings on December 26 and 27, and finished the second revision of the Book of Revelations. In their next meetings they will consider the final action of the British Company on their work. It is expected that the revised New Testament will be finished and published by the English University presses during the year 1880. The Old Testament Company at their last session revised, for the first time, the translation of the Book of Job up to chapter xi. 14.

The Pacific Mail steamship Clyde, which sailed from here for Aspinwall on December 10, and four days afterward was towed to Fortress Mouroe in a disabled condition by the steamship Blackstone, arrived here from Nortolk yesterday in tow of the steamer Cyclops. She lost her screw, broke her shaft and received other damages to her machinery the second day after leaving New-York, and after reaching Fortress Monroe transferred her cargo to a vessel which was detailed for that purpose. The Clyde is to receive new boilers and other extensive repairs before going to sea again.

The managers of the New-York Christian Home for Interpretate Man layer convased the district

Clyde is to receive new boilers and other extensive repairs before going to sea again.

The managers of the New-York Christian Home for Intemperate Men have canvassed the district bounded by Thirty-fourth and Forty-second-sts, and Sixth and Park-aves, for cast-off clothing for the immates of their institution, and their wagons began a house-to-house visitation to collect the articles yesterday. The collection will continue to-day. Old clothes, caps, boots and shoes and religious books are needed. If any persons outside of this district desire to contribute, they are requested to give notice to C. A. Bunting, at No. 48 East Seventy-eighthst, who will send a wagon for the goods.

Officer Parkenson, of the Twenty-ninth Precinct, yesterday took into the Jefferson Market Police Court Charles Manier, of No. 114 West Twenty-seventh-st., whom he charged with intoxication. On November 28 Manier, while under the influence of liquor, fell through the well-hole of the elevator in the new iron building in Twenty-third-st, near Fifth-ave., and injured his thigh. He was removed to the New-York Hospital. Yesterday he was discharged as cured, and Officer Parkenson arraigned him for being intoxicated at the time of the accident, Justice Buxby thought that Manier had been sufficiently punished, and allowed hun to go.

Mary Redford, the old cook in the employment of Cancerd Hondreks on in West Forty-eighths. Mary Redford, the old cook in the employment of

Mary Redford, the old cook in the employment of General Hendrickson in West Forty-eighth-st., who was badly beaten recently by the colored burgiar John Robertson, alias Charles Franks, was in a condition to appear in the Yorkville Police Court yesterday. She charged Robertson with felomons assent. He was committed for trial on Mrs. Redford's complaint in default of \$2,000 bail, and was held in default of \$10,000 bail on the charge of burglary. Detective Price, of the Twenty-ninth Precinct, identified Robertson as Charles MePherson, who has been convicted of a burglary committed at Tenth-st. and Fifth-ave, several years ago, and for which he got ten years in State Prison.

For some years it has been the custom of the offi.

Wind—Sumet—At S. Chylles American Strick Samet Chylles American. At Scale Strick Samet Chylles American. Strick Gery, 1817 Chylles (Br), Scots Grys (Br), Brucet-At S. Chylles American. Strick Chylles (Br), Brucet-At S. Chylles American. Strick Gery, 1817 Chylles (Br), Strick Gerys (Br), Brucet-At S. Chylles (Br), Brucet-At S. Chylles American. Strick Chylles (Br), Bryches ago, and for which he got ten years in State Prison. For some years it has been the custom of the officials of the principal post offices in this country and in Europe to exchange complimentary New Year's cards. Some of the cards are highly ornamented and prettily illustrated. The one issued by the New-York office this year bears an excellent view of the post office building, a portrait of Postmaster James, and representations of a post-rider of the olden time, an Indian runner, a four-horse mailwagon, a railway post office, a railway train, a steamship, a letter-carrier, and various implements and emblems. The whole is surmounted by the legend, "A Fraternal Greeting from the New-York Post Office, 1880." The card is printed in colors, and on the reverse are printed the names of the principal officers.

BROOKLYN.

E. H. Gouge, formerly the treasurer of the Union Square Theatre of this city, now lessee and manager of the new Academy of Music at Jersey City, has arranged for an entertainment to be given this evening under the auspices of the Charity Club for the poor of that city.

The trial of the indicted directors of the suspended Mechanics' and Laborers' Savings Bank was resumed yesterday in the Hudson County Court House at Jersey City. Leon Abbett, of counsel for the defence, occupied the entire day in making his closing address. Ex-Judge Hoffman will argue the case for the State to-day.

LONG ISLAND.

PORT WASHINGTON.—An affray occurred at Port Washington Saturday night, in which Cyrus Saffri-can, a carriage-maker, was fatally injured.

DIX HILLS.—Jackson Van Wyck, of Dix Hills. while coasting on Saturday ran into a tree, breaking both legs and receiving internal injuries which will prove fatal.

LONG ISLAND CITY.—John Joyce, the father-inlaw of ex-Alderman Crowley, who met his death
suddenly in a New York saloon last Fall, was killed
at Dutch Kills on the Long Island Railroad track
yesterday mozalog, by the Baylon and Locust Valley way train.

GARDEN CITY.—The advocates of the formation
of a new county on Long Island met yesterday at
the Garden City Hotel. It was resolved that those
present deemed it necessary to proceed with the
project of a new county, the boundaries to regular
the same as specified in the act of 18-7; and the
Executive Committee be requested to present the

same—if it think it advisable—to the Legislature at its coming session. An address to the residents of the proposed county was ordered to be issued.

STATEN ISLAND. STAPLETON.—A two-story frame house in Rocky Hellow, Stapleton, was entirely destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The building was owned by the Staten Island Savings Bank, and was not insured. The amount of the lose could not be ascertained, and the origin of the fire is a mystery. For some time the house had been unoccupied, and the "Rocky Hollow gang" had possession of it until recently, when the owner threatened these men with arrest if they did not keep out of it.

West Brighton.—Mrs. August Keymel, of West

with arrest if they did not keep out of it.

WEST BRIGHTON.—Mrs. August Keymel, of West Brighton, recently left her husband, saving that in the future she wished to be known as Mrs. Winden. While on the way to Richmond Valley, near Dutch Farms, recently, she was suddenly seized by Adolph Krone, an elderly German, who attempted to assault her, but she escaped. She had Krone arrested and arraigned before Justice Vaughn, at Clifton, who, upon hearing the woman's story, committed the old man in default of bail to the County Jail for the action of the Grand Jury.

HUDSON RIVER TOWNS.

ARMONCK.—A child three years old, daughter of Theodore Merritt, of Armonck, on Saturday was left in charge of a sister a few years older during a brief absence of their mother from the house. The eldest, while playing with the fire, let a piece of burning rag fall into the lap of her sister, setting fire to her clothes, which were entirely consumed and the child's body burned to a crisp. It died in an hour.

IMPORTANT COPYRIGHT SUITS.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29 .- Four suits, involving questions of great interest to American authors and publishers, were recently brought in the United States Court in this city against J. N. Stoddart & Co. to restrain them from publishing a reprint of the "Encyclo-pædia Brittanica." The tenth volume of this work contains several articles written by American authors, which were copyrighted in this country. Stoddart & Co. were about issuing the reprint of this volume, when nary injunction in two of the cases to restrain them from issuing the volume were made. Argument was heard by Judge Butler on these motions several days

It was contended that the articles could not appear in It was contended that the articles could not appear in the Stoddarta's reprint, as their publication would be an infringement of the copyright. Judge Butler to-day de-nied the preliminary injunction on the ground claimed by the defendants, that the granting of the injunction at that time when the book is all ready for publication would cause them irreparable damage, while the com-planants would suffer only slight damage from such publication of their work. The cases will now go to final hearing, and will probably be reached some time next Spring.

PIGEON SHOOTING IN NEW-JERSEY.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 29 .- A match at fifty TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 29.—A match at fifty birds for each man, thirty yards rise, eighty yards boundary, for \$200 a side, between A. De Ford, of Rochester, and D Wood, of Camden, took place here today. It result in favor of Wood. Score 41 to 39.

SOMERVILLE, Dec. 20.—The return pigeon-shooting out. The individual in the individual individual in the individual in the individual in

RAHWAY, N. J., Dec. 29 .- A number of New-Jersey pigeon-shooters contested for a silver adge at Tremley to-day. The conditions of the match are tive birds for each man. The trophy was won by Mr libert Henderson who killed five birds straight. Mr. ... Mur-ray took the second prize.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

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Dorn, Miss E. Nicholsen, Miss M. Harbrink, J. C. Bloch, M. G. Kranse, O. K. Kister, Mr. Tomlinson, D. H. Liebig, E. SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK DEC. 29.

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to Leaveraft & Co; vessel to Ja Van Brunt.
RETUKNED—Str Glyde returned the 28th Inst from Norfolk, with cylinder broken, to Pacific Mail Sc Co.
WKND—Sameet—At Sandy Hook, light, W. cloudy. At

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City Island, the same.

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DISANTERS.

DISASTERS.

LONDON, Dec 29.—Ship Leda (Ger), Capt Schachmeyer, from New-York December 8 for Bremen, is ashore on Goodwin Sanda, and will probably become a wreck. The crew has landed at Deal.

Hark Amaranta (Nor), Capt Torjessen, from New-York October 31 for Redterdam, has been towed to Maassins. She toher 31 for Rotterdam, has been towed to Manssins. She has been ashore, at d's lead, the state of the Str. William Burkitt, Capt Freeman, from Savannah for Reval, has grounded near Malmo. She is still water-tight but laboring heavily. Later-Str William Burkitt is supposed to have filled; assistance has been sent to her. HONG KOOG, Dec 29.—Ship Twilight, Capt Harland, from New-York, has been dismasted by a typhoon.

DISASTERS.

New York, has been dismasted by a typhoon.

FORE GN PORTS.

LONDON. Dec 29.—Str Wieland, from New-York for Hamburg, has peased the Lizard; str delgranland, from New-York for Antwerp, has been signalled off the Lizard; arr at Sirstel, str Devon, from New-York; arr at Glasgow, str State of Indiana, from New-York; arr at Heval the 23d inst, str Malabar, from Savannah; arr at Barcelona the 25th inst, str Juana, trom Chureston.

from Charleston.
Sailed from Larne the 28th lost, str State of Alabama. for

Sailed from Larae the 28th last, str State of Alabama, for New-York.
Livilipool, Dec 29.—Art strs British Crows, from Philadelphia: Plain, from Baithnore.
Sailed 28th inst, str Minnesota, for Boston.
HAVE, Dec 29.—Sailed, at feelert, for New-York,
LONDON, Dec 29.—Sailed, 24th last, Georgia: 27th last, Radamisto, Salome, Frigga, Bavelaw, La Belle, Resolute.
Art 16th last, Mercarry, 26th last, Georgia: 27th last, Sooloo, Arcadia, Icaras, Venice, J. Williams, Nipote Accame,
France, Oberbergmeister von Winter, St. Nicholas, the latter
off Dover; 28th last, Laura (Capt Johannesen), Lune, last
two at Deal; Edwin Reed, Krone, Orient, Gatineau, Freedom,
Lewis Smith, Mabel (Capt Griffiths), Neptun (Capt Toblasen),
Athambra (Capt Corneliseu), Colonial Empire, Constantine,
Templar (Capt Gartlett), Thomasina, MacLellan, Wellington,
the latter at Portland, with rudder damaged; 29th last, Catharine, at Ymniden, leaky; Pharos, Northampton, Bennie
Dundee, Dunbritton.

For Later Ship News, if any, see Pith Page.

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